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From: "Nepstad, Michael G SPK"
Sent: Thur 9/20/2012 12:01:09 AM

Subject: FW: Overall Purpose statement (UNCLASSIFIED) BDCP-Section 404-OPP-082212 Corps response.docx

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FYI, still more meetings with DWR on this. I'll keep you posted. I blame myself for this, my mentioning that their NEPA Purpose and Need statement was weak 3 years ago got them all excited about Purpose and there seems to be no way to get them to stop and to move on and deal with it later, after the application is submitted.

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From: Enos, Cassandra [mailto:cenos@water.ca.gov] Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2012 4:00 PM

To: Nepstad, Michael G SPK

Cc: Marc Ebbin; Jewell, Michael S SPK

Subject: RE: Overall Purpose statement (UNCLASSIFIED)

Mike - We would like to discuss this further and request that you don't finalize a letter at this time. I know Marc has some urgent BDCP stuff he's working on and then he's on vacation. Let me get back to you with some potential dates.

Thx, C.

----Original Message----

From: Nepstad, Michael G SPK [mailto:Michael.G.Nepstad@usace.army.mil]

Sent: Wednesday, September 19, 2012 10:32 AM

To: Enos, Cassandra

Subject: Overall Purpose statement (UNCLASSIFIED)

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Hi Cassandra,

Attached is overall purpose statement. After much discussions, Michael Jewell and I have decided we need to strike the phrase "as set forth in the Water Operations and Conveyance Conservation Measure 1 component of the Bay Delta Conservation Plan."

If you all don't want to debate any longer, let me know and I'll finalize a letter response showing the overall project purpose without that phrase.

If you all do want to discuss some more, let me know and I'll schedule a meeting. Thanks

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